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A BRIEFING FOR CITY COUNCILLORS

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Decisions made under Delegated Powers

Ward	Date	Decision	Contact Point	Chief Officer
All	11/01/11	Approval to accept a quotation from Tyne and Wear Play Association for Post Installation Play Area Inspection Report and Risk Benefit Assessment for works carried out as part of Early Years Foundation Stage external play area works to sixty eight settings in the City.	Rachel Putz 566 1894	Executive Director of Children's Services
All	18/01/11	To agree to enter a supplier contract on behalf of Sunderland City Council with Tyne and Wear Business Links Organisation (TWEBLO) for the provision of Health and Safety workplace risk assessment in relation to work experience placements for schools until 31 st March, 2011.	Beverley Scanlon \$\frac{1}{20}\$ 561 1965	Executive Director of Children's Services

Barnes	18/01/11	Accepted the lowest quotation reduced by negotiation for works on Rectory Park, Houghton-le-Spring.	Liam Foster \$\frac{1}{2}\$ 561 8772	Deputy Chief Executive
Copthill	20/01/11	Authorised the issue of a notice under Section 220 of the Highways Act 1980 following notification that building works are proposed fronting onto land north of Kingsway as part of Racecourse Residential Housing Regeneration Phase III.	Bob Donaldson	Executive Director of City Services
Fulwell	14/01/11	Approved the installation of a new flexible footway between Dene Lane and King Street.	Andrew Jackman \$\frac{1}{2}\$ 561 1569	Executive Director of City Services
Hetton	28/01/11	Agreed to the transfer of the Council's Freehold interest in 88m² or thereabouts of land adjacent to Marenello, Station View, Hetton-le-Hole. Request received from Helen Keely Ferguson of Marenello, Station View, Hetton-le-Hole.	Nick Wood 561 2631	Deputy Chief Executive
Houghton	20/01/11	Approved a scheme to construct and adopt a length of new footway and parking bay lay-by at Redburn Road, Houghton-le-Spring.	Graham Carr ☎ 561 1298	Executive Director of City Services
Houghton	28/01/11	Agreed to grant a three year lease of Room S3 E-Volve Business Centre, Rainton Bridge South Business Park to AFrame Limited. Application by AFrame to let vacant accommodation within E-Volve.	Nick Wood ** 561 2631	Deputy Chief Executive

Millfield	14/01/11	Considered a petition from residents of The Leazes. Petition declined as the cost of extending the waiting restrictions could not be justified as legislation already exists to address the parking problem.	Andrew Jackman \$\frac{1}{2}\$ 561 1569	Executive Director of City Services
Millfield	14/01/11	Agreed to implement the highway improvements at High Street West near to the Londonderry Public House.	Andrew Jackman \$\frac{1}{2}\$ 561 1569	Executive Director of City Services
Millfield Hendon Ryhope Grangetown	01/02/11	To use Gordon Rose as Training Provider for Children's Centre East.	Cath Phillipson ☎ 561 2844	Executive Director of Children's Services
Not Applicable	14/01/11	Agreed to submit a first stage collaborative bin with the University of Sunderland to the Arts Council's new National Portfolio Funding Scheme.	Chris Alexander ☎ 561 8420	Executive Director of City Services
Not Applicable	19/01/11	Agreed to accept a tender and award a contract to Alex Smiles Ltd. for the provision of services for the handling and disposal of municipal waste collected by the Council.	Peter High \$\frac{1}{20}\$ 561 4550	Executive Director of City Services
Not Applicable	20/01/11	Agreed the continuation of the appointment of Corderoy under the existing contract to undertake the third stage of cost verification work for the Sunderland Strategic Transport Corridor (SSTC) Phase 2 project.	David Abdy \$\frac{1}{28}\$ 561 7895	Executive Director of City Services

St. Anne's	27/01/11	Agreed to let Unit 8 Pennywell Business Centre, Portsmouth Road, Pennywell, Sunderland in line with Council policy to Mr. Chris Docherty, 9 Stoneleigh Close, Houghton-le-Spring, DH4 5LS. Trading as Saxon Violence. Unit is currently vacant.	Nick Wood ☎ 561 2631	Deputy Chief Executive
Shiney Row	28/01/11	Agreed to the transfer of 429.5m ² or thereabouts of land to the rear of 8 Market Crescent, New Herrington. Follows request received from Joseph Henry Applegarth.	Nick Wood ☎ 561 2631	Deputy Chief Executive
Southwick	14/01/11	Agreed to overtime payments for Peter Harrison, Caretaker of Southwick Primary.	Louise Blakelock	Deputy Chief Executive
Washington South	14/01/11	Considered a petition from Rickleton Residents Association requesting the introduction of traffic calming measures at Coquet, Washington. Petition declined.	Andrew Jackman \$\frac{1}{2}\$ 561 1569	Executive Director of City Services